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For: 1-(4-ARYLPIPERAZIN-1-YL)- ω -[N-(α , ω -DICARBOXIMIDO)]-ALKANES USEFUL AS UROSELECTIVE α 1-ADRENOCEPTOR BLOCKERS

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Prior to calculation of the fee for and examination of the enclosed Divisional Patent Application, kindly amend same as follows:

In the specification:

~~Page 3, line 16, delete "the".~~

~~Page 7, line 19, change "1-4" to --1-[4--.~~

~~Page 7, line 20, change "1-4" to --1-[4--.~~

~~Page 17, line 15, change "2 x 50 ml)" to --(2 x 50 ml)--.~~

~~Page 18, line 14, change "3" to --4--.~~